

A FIRE HORROR IN NEW YORK

Human Beings Cremated
in Conflagration.

TWELVE LIVES LOST

A Big Blaze in Residence
Section.

Wealthy Homes Desolated by
the Fire Fiend--Household
is Wiped Out.

New York, April 7.—By fire in two residences in the wealthiest part of this city twelve lives were lost today. Before the day is over it may be found that the death list has been swelled to fourteen for during the early morning hours four persons were missing and two so badly injured that they may die. Of the eight victims known, three were children. The last bodies from the Windsor horror were buried only a day or so ago.

This latest fire was in some ways almost a repetition of that holocaust.

Wallace C. Andrews, president of the New York Steam Heating company.

Mrs. Wallace C. Andrews, sister-in-law of Mrs. Andrews and wife of G. C. St. John, treasurer of the steam heating company.

Austin St. John, 7 years old.

Wallace St. John, 3 years old.

Frederick St. John, 13 months old.

The three foregoing were the children of Mrs. St. John.

Evie Peterson, servant.

Nellie Boland, servant.

Mary Flanagan, servant.

Ann Neary, servant.

All these deaths occurred in the house of Mr. Andrews.

Mary Langlin, servant in the house of Albert J. Adams.

Kate Downing and Mare Ross, servants in the Andrews household.

INSURED.

Jennie Burns, servant in the Andrews house. Not expected to live.

Alice White, cook in the Andrews house. Condition serious.

Nellie Quinn, servant in the Adams house. Condition serious.

Others were slightly but not seriously injured.

IN A WEALTHY DISTRICT.

The fires were in the home of Wallace C. Andrews, president of the New York Steam Heating company at No. 2, East 67th street, and in the home of Albert J. Adams, at No. 3, East 67th street. The fire started in the Andrews house and the Adams residence caught later in the morning. The first fire was discovered about 2 a. m. A policeman was passing in front of the Havemeyer residence in East 67th street when he heard an explosion and saw a great flash of light in 67th street. He ran thither with all speed.

When he arrived the flames were shooting out of the upper floors of the Andrews house. They leaped half way across the street. The policeman tried to get into the house to arouse the occupants.

He was driven back by the flames. He then turned in an alarm and returning got the people out of V. H. Rothschild's house, which is close by. Around the corner of Sixty-seventh street and Fifth avenue are the homes of some of New York's wealthiest men.

Next to the Adams house was a handsome, four-story, brown stone affair. It is the splendid home of H. O. Armour, of the Chicago firm of packers. Next to that is the home of Perry Belmont. Directly opposite this is the home of George J. Gould.

With the arrival of the first engine company the value of the property threatened was apparent and a second and later a third alarm were turned in.

Mrs. St. John, her three children, and two servants, Kate Downing and Maria Roth were on the third floor. Mr. St. John, who is the treasurer of the New York Steam Heating company, and a brother of Mrs. Andrews, was not at home during the fire, and had not been notified of his great losses late as 11 o'clock in the morning.

Mr. Andrews and his wife occupied the middle room on the second floor.

CLASPED TOGETHER IN DEATH.

There, two hours later, their bodies were found clasped in each other's arms. They were so charred as to be almost beyond recognition.

The servants of the Andrews household were on the fourth or top floor. Alice White, the cook, leaped from the window to an extension which rose to the third floor. She was found there unconscious by firemen. Jennie Burns, another of the servants, jumped from the same window to the extension. She crashed in her skull and cannot possibly recover.

Mary Holland, the kitchen maid; Mary Flanagan, the parlor maid; Ann Neary and Eva Peterson, the four remaining servants, were on the fourth floor.

After the firemen had rescued Alice White and Jennie Burns from the roof of the extension just before the flames reached that locality another desperate effort was made to get into the Andrews home, but the conflagration had gained an extraordinary hold and it was impossible to force an entrance. The flames shot into the air to a height of over 100 feet.

WIND SWEEP THE FLAMES.

A strong wind, blowing from the south, swept the flames north. On the north side of Sixty-ninth street was the handsome home of Albert J. Adams, the millionaire sporting man, better known as "Al" Adams. His family had been aroused by the tumult. A servant opened the front window to see what it was all about. Just then a gust of wind swept in burning brands through the open window. The Adams house was on fire in a second and began to blaze fiercely. The inmates of the Adams house were panic-stricken by this sudden outbreak of flame.

Nellie Quinn and Mamie Vogel, servants, tried to rush down the stairway, but that avenue of escape was already out of. The two appeared at the front window. Thence they jumped to the roof of the how window a story below. There they crouched in terror. The crowd below shouted that help would soon come. The flames got hotter and nearer to the women.

A policeman and several citizens ran into the adjoining house and up to the third floor of that building on a level with the women. While the citizens held the policeman he leaped far out of the window and lifting the women up one at a time, swung them up into the room. They were carried down to the street. Spectators cheered wildly.

In an hour the fire in the Adams house was out. The firemen found the body of Mary Loughlin, sixty years old, at the bottom of the stairs leading to the roof. She had been smothered by the smoke and was not much burned. Clasped tightly in her arms was the body of a little pet pug dog.

NARROW ESCAPE FOR FIREMEN.

Almost until dawn the firemen fought the fire in the Andrews house. Several firemen were on the roof when it gave signs of giving way. They had scarcely time to heed the warning when the center of the roof went down. By 6 o'clock the fire was sufficiently under control to permit of a search of the ruins.

Then it was the bodies of two of the St. John children were found. They were carried down and placed by the side of their mother and little brother.

Soon afterward L. C. Bruce, who is married to a niece of Mr. Andrews, arrived. He identified the bodies. He said Mrs. Andrews came from Willoughby, a suburb of Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. St. John was in Wilmington, Del., with some friends.

Mr. Andrews was in Albany yesterday and returned home only last night.

Mr. Jordan, a brother-in-law of Mrs. St. John, said that the entire family had planned a trip to Hot Springs, Ark., and were to have started tonight.

George J. Gould was not in his home at the time of the fire.

Mr. Rothschild said he was first awakened by the clatter of the fire engines. He got his family and servants up and prepared to quit the house. They were all dressed when Henry Seigle, who lives close by, came in and insisted on taking Mr. Rothschild's family to his home until all danger was past.

The damage to Mr. Rothschild's

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THEY HAILED FROM JERSEY

Ex-Soldiers Dishonored
Themselves.

ACTS OF VANDALISM

Committed Outrages in
the South.

Fourth New Jersey Regiment
Had Just been Mustered
Out of Service.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 7.—A special to the Journal from Greenville, S. C., says:

The Fourth New Jersey, which was mustered out yesterday and left during the afternoon for home, terrorized the communities through which they passed, firing volleys from the cars with their revolvers and made a bad name for themselves at various points by stealing all they could lay their hands to.

They started out from Greenville by firing volleys from the train and repeated this at almost every station they passed. A vendor of army badges and camp souvenirs had ten watches and sixty badges stolen from him on the way with them to Lenoir.

At Chester the Jersey soldiers stood off the crowd of spectators with a volley of revolver shots and then raided the waiting and lunch rooms, carrying off all they could find, including the horn of a phonograph at the station.

They are reported to have also stolen a bicycle at Chester.

Many of the men were drunk when they left here and the reports indicate that they became more intoxicated as they proceeded. The officers of the regiment were with the men.

STORM SWEEPS CHANNEL.

Great Damage Is Reported in British Ship-Plug.

LONDON, April 7.—A heavy storm which is sweeping across the channel is delaying the steamboat service between Great Britain and the continent. A number of fishing smacks have been wrecked and others are missing.

A fierce gale is also sweeping the Irish coast, causing considerable destruction to property.

The British ship, John Cook, Captain Magee, which arrived at Liverpool on March 6, from Portland, Ore., has been badly damaged by breaking from her moorings during a fierce hurricane at midnight last night and colliding with and sinking a smack and also damaging another vessel.

The Norwegian bark Bonita, Captain Jensen, which left Cardiff on January 30 for Bahia, and which put into Baltimore, Ireland, on February 9, waterlogged, has been driven on the rocks in Baltimore harbor and badly damaged.

BROKE THE PANEL.

Mrs. George's Attorney Finds They Are Not Satisfied With the Jury.

CANTON, Ohio, April 7.—After fifteen minutes deliberation at the opening of court this morning, the defense decided that they were not satisfied with the jury and challenged Henry Smith, a Canton blacksmith. This re-opened the whole jury question and men are being called from the venire to fill the vacancy. Set opinions and prejudice against capital punishment and circumstantial evidence are barring many of those called.

One of Mrs. George's Hanoverton friends brought in the usual banquet. She wore her usual costume and was accompanied by the same friends as heretofore.

FOOT AMPUTATED.

Wesley Lindsey Is in a Critical Condition at the Hospital.

At St. Joseph's hospital this morning Dr. C. B. Stemen, assisted by Dr. Enslon and Dr. Kesler, amputated the left foot of Wesley Lindsey, midway between the ankle and knee. Lindsey is in a critical condition from blood poisoning. About ten days ago Lindsey was brought to the city from near Hantertown, where he had slept outdoors in a strawstack and frozen the foot. The operation today was an effort to save the man's life, and Dr. Stemen reports that while Lindsey stood the operation well, the case is not encouraging.

ABLE TO SIT UP.

Captain Borgman Is Very Much Improved in Health.

Dr. Froeger informed the Sentinel this morning that Captain Borgman was so much improved in

health that he would sit up for ten or fifteen minutes today. His temperature registered 100° at 8 o'clock and for the first time in several days the captain complained that he was hungry. His condition is such now as to warrant the belief that he is on the rapid road to recovery.

SENTON UNDER BOND

The Shelton Fight Is Bearing Its Fruits Now.

Sexton and McIlwain Have Been Arraigned and George Bubb Will Be Next-Court Notes.

Last Thursday afternoon Sheriff Melching filed an affidavit in Squire France's court charging Alonzo Sexton with assault and battery on George McDowell. Constable Ford went to Shelton later in the evening and placed young Sexton under arrest. The bond was fixed at \$100 and when the constable returned to the city last evening he brought \$100 in cash in lieu of his prisoner. The case is set for hearing next Monday.

The next arrest to be made will be that of George Bubb, the young man who owns and operates the Shelton saloon. Sexton is only eighteen years of age and it is claimed he purchased the liquor which made him so drunk from Bubb. An affidavit is being prepared today and Constable Ford will probably make the arrest tomorrow.

Young McDowell, the other principal to the fight, is under \$50 bond, but his condition has been such that he could not be brought to the city for trial.

DIVORCE GRANTED.

Judge O'Rourke this morning heard the evidence in the divorce suit of William Block vs. Sophia Block and granted the application on plaintiff's complaint. The Blocks are just middle age.

FOR A NEW TRIAL.

Attorney N. D. Doughman this morning argued the motion for a new trial in the Weaver-Grover slander suit. At the first trial the jury awarded Weaver \$100 damages.

NEW HAVEN MAN INSANE.

Thursday afternoon at the offices of Squire Crippen in New Haven an inquest in lunacy was held on Samuel Kain, who is seventy years of age. Justices Crippen and Bird and Drs. G. G. Brudl and J. W. Bullock sat as the commission in lunacy. Mr. Kain was found to be of unsound mind.

NOTES.

The county commissioners this morning received a petition for a ditch in Pleasant township to be known as the Scherer ditch.

The daily papers erred in stating the price to be paid for stone used in the "oratory." Instead of costing \$1.10 on board the cars it is \$1.10 a yard delivered at the jail. A contract was awarded of twenty-five cents a yard to deliver the cracked stone on any road within two miles of the jail.

Charles J. Goheen has filed his bond as receiver in the case of Charles McQuiston vs. Edmund C. Benward et al.

August C. Brandt has been appointed administrator of the estate of Frederick Brandt, deceased.

The board of county commissioners appointed Ira S. Grubb, George Zeimann and Sefaro Snyder as viewers for the proposed Dorsey road in Scioto township.

In the circuit court Frank Alderman was given a judgment for \$1,334 against Scott Swan.

Judge O'Rourke dismissed the case of Edward C. Pelt against Frederick L. Buchhold.

Chauncey and Mary Jacobs, minor children of James Jacobs, who was sent to prison for arson, were committed to the board of children's guardians by Judge O'Rourke.

Louis Bobily, as trustee for John Porter, has filed his report.

The case of Miller et al., has been certified to the circuit court, on appeal from Justice Huser's decision.

Judge Dawson granted Emma May Kick a divorce from Alfred Kick, with \$300 alimony, custody of the children and \$5 monthly for their support.

Louise Didier McDonald brings suit against Francis N. Diktor and others for partition of real estate. Henry Colerick is plaintiff's attorney.

The case of Edward Nowak has been appealed from Justice Huser's court. George Cimmerow is attorney for the complaint.

Receiver O'Rourke, of the Schell company, qualified yesterday, a bond in the sum of \$10,000 being furnished by the Fidelity Trust company.

FRANCHISE FOR NEW COMPANY

The American District
Telegraph Company

IS THE APPLICANT

Will Compete for the
Messenger Service.

Conference With the Board of
Works This Morning--Will
Discuss Gas.

Franchisees in Fort Wayne are now in big demand. The latest application is from the American District Telegraph company and was submitted to the board of public works at its regular meeting last evening. The following letter was received and read by Clerk A. M. Schmidt: "To the Board of Public Works of the City of Fort Wayne:

"The undersigned, American District Telegraph company, of Indiana, a corporation duly organized under the laws of Indiana, having duly accepted the provisions of the act of congress of July 24, 1866, giving telegraph companies accepting the provisions of said act the right to construct, operate and maintain lines of telegraph, through, over and along any of the post roads of the United States, now proposes to erect its wires and such poles as may be necessary to carry on its business as a district telegraph company, in said city, as may be practicable, using, so far as possible, by permission of the Western Union Telegraph company, in connection with which our business is conducted, the poles of said company already erected in said city. Said American District Telegraph company respectfully requests your honorable body, or, under your directions, the proper officer or officers of the city, to indicate the places upon the streets within the corporate limits of said city, where such company may erect such poles and wires as may be necessary to conduct its business.

"AMERICAN DISTRICT TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

"By E. D. BENNETT, President.

"April 6th, 1899."

Manager O. J. Perry, of the Western Union, and J. T. Cloney, general agent in Indiana for the American District Telegraph company, were present at the board meeting to represent the company. The members of the board were so overcome by the positive demands of the company that they postponed action until this morning when another conference was had with Messrs. Perry and Cloney. The gentlemen explained that the company desired to place a messenger service in the city and to do it satisfactorily a number of poles would have to be erected, although it was intended to use in many instances the poles of the Western Union and the railroad centering here. City Attorney Shambaugh explained that it would be necessary to secure a franchise and it was finally decided that Messrs. Shambaugh and Perry should draft a contract to be submitted to the board at some future date. The American District company is a new institution in Fort Wayne, having commenced operations April 1st. For some years the boys at the Western Union have been allowed to keep the extras made by each in carrying messages and in many instances the little fellows made \$5 and \$10 a month besides the small salary paid by the Western Union. As soon as the American District, which is indirectly owned by officers of the Western Union, learned that the boys were making a few extra dollars, it was decided to establish a branch of the company here and the new order of things went into effect last Saturday. Hereafter a regular price will be charged for the delivery of packages and messages and the boys will be on a salary increased by about \$2 a month. These boys will also handle all Western Union messages.

The application of the American District company has aroused the owners of the Fort Wayne District company, and the officers of the latter are insisting with the board of works that if a franchise is granted it must be as ironclad as any ever granted by the city. The new company will enter into direct competition with the old one and will establish in some of the larger factories a regular night watch system.

MORE GAS TALK.

Condolence Hensch, chairman of

the council committee of the whole, has called a meeting of the committee for next Monday evening, to discuss the proposed changes in the gas company rates. The public has been invited to attend the meeting, and express themselves so that the councilmen will be able to determine what the people desire.

PRETTY HOME WEDDING.

Henry Wurtz and Miss Anna Kemp Married Last Evening.

At 6 o'clock last evening a very pretty home wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Kemp, 17 High street, when their daughter, Miss Anna, and Henry Wurtz were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock. Only the close friends and relations were present. The attendants of the bride were Miss Lena Wurtz, of Cincinnati, and Miss Emma Kemp, sister of the bride. Victor Kemp acted as groomsmen. Rev. Bohn, of Trinity Lutheran church, was the officiating clergyman. Both bride and groom are popular young people of the city, and friends all unite in bestowing congratulations. The Olympia band, of which Mr. Wurtz is a member, arrived during the evening and tendered them a serenade. They will immediately occupy a cottage on East Washington street, which has been already furnished, and be at home to their many friends.

IS WELL RECEIVED.

Porto Rican Great Secretary Alger With Much Acclaim.

PORTO RICO, April 7.—Gen. Rassel A. Alger, the secretary of war, who arrived here on Wednesday, on board the United States transport Ingalls, has met with an enthusiastic reception. He visited the schools yesterday morning, discussed island affairs with merchants and agriculturists at the principal club during the afternoon and attended a banquet at the French hotel in the evening. The town is decorated in his honor and last night it was illuminated. The general has had a delightful trip, is delighted with Porto Rico and he leaves this morning, across the island road, and is due to arrive at San Juan tomorrow afternoon.

EDDIE GONE HOME.

The Lad's Father Telegraphed Him a Railway Ticket.

Eddie Wood, the young lad who has been keeping company of an unsavory reputation during his stay in Fort Wayne, returned to his home in Grand Rapids on the morning Grand Rapids and Indiana train. The lad's father, who is well fixed financially, did not reply to Superintendent Gerslino's telegram, but telegraphed an order for a ticket to the local agent of the railway. Several days ago Eddie wrote to his father, stating that he was broke and wanted to go home, but the father, probably desiring to punish his erring son, did not reply.

THE POWER STATION

Will be in Operation Within the Next Ten Days.

County Commissioners Ferguson and Orr told THE SENTINEL this morning that the new power station near the jail would be ready to test within the next ten days. The machinery is all in place and completed and can be started within a few days. The test will be made by furnishing heat and power for the county jail. The commissioners assert that the power station can be run with the money that was paid last month for light and heat for the jail alone. Planners Hattersley are engaged now in running ready for the test.

REFORM WORK.

Chaplain of Jeffersonville Reformatory to Speak in Fort Wayne.

Senator T. E. Ellison, who is greatly interested in prison reform work, informed THE SENTINEL this morning that the people of Fort Wayne are to be given an opportunity of learning more of the methods and plans of modern reformatory work. To that end Rev. J. W. Comfort, chaplain of the Indiana reformatory at Jeffersonville, will come to the city this month, and address the people from several city pulpits on reform work.

FIGHT MUST BE SQUARE.

Reference Will Not Permit Green and Smith to Fake.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—Prof. Walter Watson, who will referee the bout between George Green and "Mystic" Billy Smith today, says he anticipates a square fight. Should he detect any sign of a fake he says he will order the men out of the ring and declare the affair no contest, which will mean the declaring off of all bets. The men will weigh in this afternoon.

Green is said to be at 165 pounds and Smith at 147. The betting is 10 to 7 in favor of Smith. Should he defeat Green it is stated that he will be challenged by Tommy Ryan and Joe Wolcott.

CONSUL ROSE MADE TROUBLE

Details of the Fighting in
Samoa.

MATAAFA'S BACKING

Admiral Kautz Issued a
Proclamation.

Consul Rose Then Put Forth a
Counter Proclamation That
Started the Ball.

APIA, March 24, via San Francisco, April 7.—There have been lively times in Samoa during the past few days. The United States and British warships have shelled Mataafa's forces repeatedly and sailors have been landed in Apia to protect property. Numerous casualties have resulted on both sides. Admiral Kautz and the commanders of the British ships are anxiously awaiting advice from their governments and in the meantime the shelling proceeds daily. When Admiral Kautz arrived on the Philadelphia he spent two days in making inquiries and then called a meeting of all the consuls and the senior officers of all the warships in the harbor.

KAUTZ'S PROCLAMATION.

As a result of the meeting a proclamation was issued by the American admiral declaring that the so-called provisional government under Mataafa can have no legal status under the Berlin treaty and therefore cannot be recognized by the consular and naval representatives, and ordering Mataafa and his supporters to quietly go to their homes and respect the laws of the Berlin treaty. It was further ordered that the people ejected from their homes be returned and the power of the naval forces, it was stated, would be used against all who disregarded the right of peaceably disposed people. The authority of the chief justice was upheld by the proclamation and the admiral closed by saying that he trusts that there may be no occasion to use military powers. The proclamation was signed by Admiral Kautz.

This proclamation was taken to Mataafa and read to him by Flag Lieutenant Miller. It was received in silence and no answer was made. Mataafa and his chiefs quietly left and went to the western portion of the municipality and it seemed as if they were about being commanded to return to their homes.

ROSE'S COUNTER PROCLAMATION.

The German consul, however, issued a counter proclamation in the Samoan language, which was distributed among the Mataafas. The proclamation read as follows:

"Notice to all Samoans: By the proclamation of the admiral of the United States, dated March 11, was made known that the three consuls of the signatory powers of the Berlin treaty, as well as the three commanders of men of war, had been unanimous to no more recognize the provisional government composed of Mataafa and the thirteen chiefs. 'I, therefore, make known to you that this proclamation is quite false. I, the German consul general, continue to recognize the provisional government of Samoa until I have received contrary instructions from my government. 'Rose,'

"German Consul General."

Apia, March 13, 1899.

THE EFFECT OF IT.

The immediate result of this act was that the rebels turned back and prepared for war, declaring that they would not obey the admiral's order and prevent any food supplies from being brought into Samoa for the Mataafa natives. The next day Apia was surrounded by Mataafa's warriors. Forces from the Philadelphia and Porpoise under Lieutenants Brown and Cave were landed to protect the loyal natives.

On Tuesday, Mataafa having failed to appear in response to the admiral's proclamation, Flag Lieutenant Miller was sent to deliver an ultimatum. He was not allowed to see the chief, but delivered his message and retired.

Everything looked ugly, and British and American bluejackets were landed in Apia to protect the consulates. Quick-firing machines and small field pieces were also landed.

Hostilities commenced on Tuesday afternoon, when half a dozen Mataafa men were taken by the Matatafas.

They were taken to headquarters and bound.

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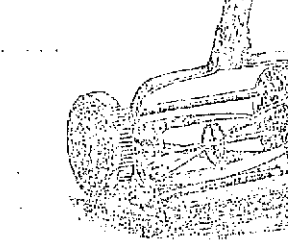


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CONSUL ROSE MADE TROUBLE

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On Wednesday morning notice was spread that if no answer was received from Mataafa by 1 o'clock the Philadelphia would fire one of her large guns followed by three one minute guns.

MATAAFA SENT NO ANSWER.

Mataafa sent no answer. He and his chiefs were buoyed up by the German consul's proclamation and vague talk that Germany would support them now, as the greatest nation on earth, invincible in war, and that Great Britain and America would never dare to engage Germany in conflict.

Signal guns were fired and the foreign population of British and Americans were taken on board their respective war ships. Other nationalities went on board sailing vessels in the harbor.

One hundred and seventy-five men and officers were landed and at Admiral Kautz's request, Captain Sturdy of the Porpoise assumed command of the combined forces on shore. Flag Lieutenant Miller, of the Philadelphia, assisting.

Surgeons were landed from both ships and Miss McCoy and Miss Forth, missionaries, volunteered as nurses. The whole native population sought the protection behind the American lines. As soon as the land forces were stationed, the Philadelphia opened fire by throwing a shell into the outskirts of Apia.

The Royalist followed with six inch shells and the Porpoise went down the coast a couple of miles and bombarded the village of Vaitua, where large parties of rebels were supposed to be. The church was smashed by a shell and the house of the manager of the German plantation was damaged. The whole of the outskirts of Apia were shelled from the harbor, about seventy shells being fired before dark when the firing ceased.

A shell from the Philadelphia, which was sighted for 2,500 yards, unfortunately exploded after it had gone only 1,100 yards. It knocked over an out building of the American consulate, and damaged the veranda of the main building. One of the American sailors was wounded in the leg.

REBELS MADE NIGHT ATTACK.

About dusk the rebels made an attack on the Britishers at the Tivola. Their fire was returned, but it is not known how many were killed. About 2:30 p. m. the natives made a rush of the guard at Tivola. Three British sailors were killed and one wounded. The native loss is unknown.

At the request of the British a machine gun was sent from the Philadelphia to the British consulate and with it some men to work it. The next day a body of 300 Malitians had their rifles returned to them from the Porpoise and rendered good service in clearing the brush. The rebel village of Vaitua was burned in order to prevent too close approach to the consulate. The German warship Falko attempted to leave port on a secret mission when Admiral Kautz ordered her captain to stay where he was and be ready to afford help to his country. The Falko remained.

During the following Thursday matrons quoted. About dusk the Americans fired on a body of Mataafas, but no one was killed.

A RUSH REPULSED.

Early Friday morning two hundred rebels rushed up to within thirty yards of the consulate. The sailors behaved splendidly and the natives were repulsed.

One American sailor was killed and one British sailor was shot in both legs. Major General Outfit, of the British army, assisted in directing operations at the consulate.

There is intense feeling against the Germans here and they are accused of spying and giving information to the rebels. Fighting by night is an entirely new departure in Samoan warfare and everything points to German teaching. One Marquart, who had been drilling the natives, has been arrested. He was sent on board the Falko under pledge of the German commander that he will not be allowed to land.

A half caste named Taylor has been arrested as a spy and is in irons on the Porpoise. H. J. Moore, an American is confined to his store under suspicion of being a Mataafa sympathizer. Saturday and Sunday were quiet. The Tivola hotel has been burned in case it becomes necessary to blow it up, and two German lights from the shore is the signal to fire. Sunday a body of native foragers came upon a Mataafa crowd, killing eight and wounding twenty, of them, when the rebels fled.

INCORRIGIBLE LAD.

Joe Rose Sent to the Reform School by Judge O'Rourke.

Joe Rose, a fifteen-year-old boy who has been living with his widowed mother, on East Wayne street, was taken before Judge O'Rourke this afternoon as an incorrigible.

A FIRE HORROR IN NEW YORK

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home and furniture is said to be mostly from water.

The damage in the Adams house is estimated at \$10,000. The fire in the Andrews house is said to have started from an explosion, possibly originating with a leakage of gas.

Of the injured, Nellie Quinn, the servant who was rescued from the Adams house, is reported to be in a very serious condition. Alice White, the cook in the Andrews house who jumped from the fourth floor to an extension, is also in a critical condition. She is suffering from partial suffocation. The others are said to be in no danger.

To Travel Young Mr. Jagers.

LOS ANGELES, April 7.—The district messenger boy Elsey, who left Los Angeles during the afternoon of April 1st, for California, in order to rival the recent trip of Jagers, the messenger boy sent to the United States by Richard Harding Davis, was sent on his trip by Henry McCalmont, member of parliament for Newmarket in the conservative interest and well known as a sportsman. Elsey is on board the steamer Etruria, which sailed from Liverpool for New York on April 1st.

CROWDED

At the Opening of the Meyers Cycle Co. Flowers for the Ladies-Music for All.

Despite the threatening weather large crowds are in attendance at the opening of the Meyers Cycle Co. at their handsome store, No. 39 West Berry street. The opening continues this evening, tomorrow and tomorrow evening. The sale-room is artistically filled with the many fine bicycles which this firm handles, among which are the "Viking," the good points of which are well known to every wheelman; the "Orient," the handsomest and best high grade wheel ever placed on the market; the "Danhoe," the best low priced wheel made, retailing at \$25. For the throngs of ladies calling there are seventy in the shape of beautiful fragrant flowers. The store is filled with strains of entrancing music. If you cannot attend this evening you should by all means call tomorrow as the display is one that will gladden the hearts of all who are interested in bicycling.

ATTENTION!

Below You Will Find Just a Few

Of the Many Specials for Tomorrow's Trade at Wolf & Deasner's.

100 more of those Gloria silk umbrellas for ladies and gents, with dresden, horn and natural wood handles, steel rod, silk tassel and cover, worth \$1.50, tomorrow \$1.00. 20 pieces of white pique, in plain and figured, for waists and skirts, as good as you pay 25c for elsewhere, tomorrow 17c yd. 2,000 yds of 7c, 8c, 10c and 12c embroidered tomorrow 5c yd. 100 dozen ladies' fancy hemstitched handkerchiefs for 5c tomorrow, worth double.

Large assortment of new veillings, belts and fancy neckwear. To close, a large line of ladies' \$1.00 5 hook and 4-button kid gloves in tan, brown and black, in most all sizes, tomorrow 47c a pair.

Visit our dress goods and silk department tomorrow, and you will find a great many special things. No such an assortment found elsewhere.

Special prices on all ladies' and gents' hosiery tomorrow.

15 PER CENT. DISCOUNT

On all our ladies' and misses' tailor made suits tomorrow. Please come as early as possible.

50 ladies' and misses' spring jackets, worth \$5.00, tomorrow at \$3.99, in all these pretty tans and mixtures.

Another lot of 100 ladies' \$3.00 spring jackets, lined through with silk, worth \$7.50.

Bring in your little girls tomorrow and get them a new spring jacket. The largest assortment in the city to select from, and prices from \$1.00 up.

A large new line of fancy petticoats for tomorrow's trade at prices to suit one and all.

10 dozen ladies' muslin gowns, cambrille ruffles, with inserting and cluster of tucks in yoke, regular value 75c, tomorrow 55c.

If you are in need of draperies, we guarantee to save you 15 per cent. to 20 per cent. on your purchase; a more complete line cannot be found anywhere.

WOLF & DEASNER, 70-72 Calhoun St.

Mother, be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. M. J. Reed & Co.

CONFERENCE WORK.

What the Methodists are Doing at Decatur.

Warm Discussion Concerning the Taylor University at Upland—Report of the Fort Wayne District.

DECATUR, Ind., April 7.—The work of the North Indiana M. E. conference is growing in interest from day to day. The attendance is now larger than since the sessions began.

One of the warmest discussions yet had was precipitated yesterday by Rev. Dr. Reade, president of Taylor university at Upland, who offered a resolution asking the conference to endorse the university as an institution of learning.

This brought out the more zealous friends of De Pauw university and a heated discussion ensued, in which Rev. Parr, Rev. Stone, Rev. Mahlin, Rev. Work, Rev. Preston, Rev. Reade and others took part.

Rev. Parr made a stirring appeal for fair play.

The matter was referred to the education committee, with instructions to report at 11 o'clock Saturday morning.

THE DISTRICT MEETING.

The Fort Wayne district was called. The chairman of F. T. Simpson, presiding elder, was present and he reported the work of the district. A few changes of pastors occurred during the year. Four new preaching places were taken up. Death has visited none of the parsonages and there have been only 101 deaths in the membership of the district. District steward meeting, Epworth league convention, district lyceum and special missionary services were held with great profit. This is true also of the meetings of the Woman's Home and Woman's Foreign society meetings. Sunday schools are prosperous and church literature well circulated. Debts on church property have been paid and good improvements made. A fine new parsonage has been built at Angola, and new churches at Fremont, Harlan and Monroeville charges. Plans are under way for many similar advances the coming year. Faithful work has been done for the benevolence, but bad roads, sickness, and so forth have hindered considerably. Bluffton, Auburn, Berry street and Trinity have overpaid, and a number of other churches raised the amounts apportioned in full. Decatur has had a lovely year, and is worthy of praise for the splendid way in which it has provided for this conference.

Good revivals, with over one thousand conversions, have occurred. There are now 10,321 members and probationers in the district. Pastors and pastors' wives have done a faithful year's work. The characters of the effective elders of the district were passed and they reported their benevolent collections.

E. A. McClintock's request to be left without appointment to attend school, was granted. The bishop was requested to appoint C. O. Merion to his present work of superintendent of an industrial school in Wisconsin.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society's annual reports were read by Mrs. L. R. Hartman, of Fort Wayne, in the absence of the secretary and treasurer. The financial report by district showed:

Fort Wayne \$1455.00
Corydon 1000.00
Bloomington 750.00
Monroeville 1510.00
Richmond 200.00
Warsaw 50.00

Total \$3955.00

Treasury offering \$400.00

A resolution of sympathy was passed for Mrs. Hudson, secretary, who lost an arm a few weeks ago in an accident.

Rev. W. F. Oldman, a former missionary to India, delivered the annual address to the W. F. M. society yesterday afternoon.

The anniversary address of the Freedman's Aid and Southern Education society was delivered last night by Rev. M. G. B. Mason.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 7.—Close—Wheat, May, 71 1/4; July, 72 1/4. Corn—April, 33 1/4; May, 34 1/4; July, 35 1/4; Sept., 35 1/4. Oats—April, 25 1/4; May, 26 1/4; July, 26 1/4; Sept., 26 1/4. Pork—April, \$9.20; May, \$9.27; July, \$9.40. Lard—April, \$5.25; May, \$5.30; July, \$5.42; Sept., \$5.55. Ribs—April, \$4.70; May, \$4.77; July, \$4.90; Sept., \$5.00. Flax—Cash, N. W., \$1.22; cash, S. W., \$1.19; May, \$1.21.

TO GO TO PAGO PAGO.

Armed Collier Scindia To Be Sent to Samoa Islands.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—It is reported that the armed collier Scindia, which accompanied the Iowa around the Horn, is to be sent to Pago Pago harbor, Samoa, to prevent any interference with the work of erecting a wharf and coaling sheds there for the United States.

The firm having the contract has recently chartered the British iron ship Cardigan Castle to take some 1,200 tons of material to Samoa, and forty skilled mechanics are to be sent there.

The United States armed collier Arabando is to be dispatched from the east with steel piling for the wharf but may not arrive for some time. In view of the possibility of trouble with natives, it is thought that the quick firing guns of the Scindia may be of use in protecting the American workmen.

JACK SHEEHAN DEAD.

Jack Sheehan, a well known character about the city, died at 6 o'clock this morning at the county farm. He was removed to that institution about one week ago. Death resulted from cancer.

HAAG.

Mrs. Eva May Haag, wife of Fred Haag, died this week at her home in Bluffton. She leaves a husband and eleven children. Mrs. Haag formerly resided in Fort Wayne and her only near relative is a sister living in this city.

BALDOCK.

Harry C. Baldock, a son of William R. Baldock, foreman of the News job rooms, died at 4 o'clock this morning at the family home, 129 Holman street. The young man was twenty years of age and death resulted from meningitis, after an illness of two weeks. He has been a sufferer the greater part of his life. But a short time ago he entered the employ of Rhineland & Simonson. He was a bright and genial young man and was well liked by the many friends who know him.

Renowned Samoan Commissioners.

BRISBANE, April 7.—Senator William received the United States ambassador, Andrew D. White, in audience yesterday. It is rumored that Dr. O. Schmidt-Leda, German minister at Caracas, Venezuela, and Dr. Stubel, the German consul general at Shanghai, have been appointed Samoan commissioners for Germany. Both Dr. Schmidt-Leda and Dr. Stubel were formerly in Samoa.

Postal Inspector Meets Death. St. Louis, Mo., April 7.—Allen L. Dalrymple, assistant superintendent in the railway mail service, was instantly killed by a train at the Union station last night. Mr. Dalrymple was attempting to board an out going "Frisco" train, but mistook his footing and fell under the wheels. He was about to start on a tour of inspection in the line of his duty. He was forty-two years of age and a native of Alabama.

The Ladies of the B. of R. T., will entertain at tea, next Wednesday.

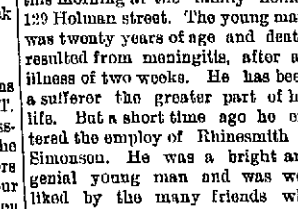
April 12th, from 3 to 9 p. m., at the home of Mrs. J. Wells, 26 Hough street. An invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. and Mrs. E. Doriot returned to Columbia City, after spending a few days with relatives in this city.

Mrs. J. W. McCoy, of Park avenue, will go to Chicago tomorrow to spend a couple of weeks with friends.

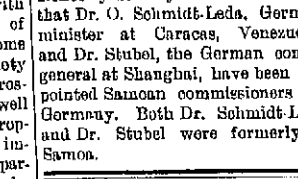
BRIDGE WORK FACTS

In most cases where teeth must be extracted and replaced probably in your case—the best method is unquestionably crown and bridge work. Best if best performed. It bridges over the tooth void. It is more comfortable, efficient and a natural appearance to the mouth—without removing teeth that are sound and serviceable and without the necessity of a new. The record of our work illustrates this method's best advantages.



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The largest and handsomest display of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing for spring 1899 ever shown.

Men's Spring Suits, \$18.00 values, Reduced to \$15.00.

Men's Spring Suits, \$15.00 values, Reduced to \$12.00.

Men's Spring Suits, \$12.00 values, Reduced to \$9.00.

Men's Spring Suits, \$10.00 values, Reduced to \$7.00.

Young Men's Spring Suits comprise style, quality to the finest tailor made and much less expensive.

Suits at \$3.50, \$5 to \$15.

All Confirmation Suits will be sold at COST.

Large assortment of Boys' Vestee and Sailor Suits. Trousers, all our make, will not rip—guaranteed.

Columbia & Clinton St.

Choice of 100 Pattern Hats \$4.98. Sailors, all Colors, 59 Cents.

MAN MILLINER, 160

MAN MILLINER, Calhoun St.

TEETH

Extracted Without Pain. By our late scientific and Vitalized Air or Gas given off. No charge for extracting when teeth are ordered.

BRIDGE WORK

We make prices to suit, if not lower than any advertised in Fort Wayne. Harkins' Arcade Dental Parlor, room 7, Arcade, around floor.

We have lately secured the services of Dr. Prickett, who is an expert dental worker. Dr. Prickett has had charge of some of the largest Dental Laboratories in New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Cincinnati. If you have unruined teeth, broken plates or plates that don't fit, bring them to us, we will repair them or make new ones. We have the latest and best machinery and tools, and we will guarantee our work. We have been here for years and have done work on the terms to make it easy to find out about us. We are friendly and courteous and we are the most prominent citizens of Fort Wayne.

GOLD CROWNS AND BRIDGE WORK

A SPECIALTY. Come and see samples of all kinds of work.

DR. BURKETT'S Arcade Dental

Parlors, Room 7, Arcade, Ground Floor. Open Evenings and Sundays.

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PEOPLE buy RABLERS because they have treated the RAMBLER builders for 20 years.

When RABLERS cost \$25 and later \$35, people purchased cheaper wheels for economy.

With RAMBLERS at \$40 it would be false economy to buy any other sort of wheel.

Come and see samples.

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LOOK HERE.

I want to call your attention! Do you work for health or to make money? We are here to do business. We received two cartons of Derrysbire's morning, No. 1 and No. 2 Derrysbire. If you are in need of Derrysbire, I will be pleased to fill your order. Derrysbire are very high, but call and see us, and we will make our prices still lower, and guarantee good credit. All the Derrysbire's are Post Office, Post Office and Hamilton. Give us a call. Derrysbire received here, today, fresh. Remember telephone 1035.

Store 20 Harrison Street.

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For Furniture, Floors, Tiling, Hard-wood Knives. Sold by all Dealers.

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GEO. DeWALD & CO.,

Cor. Calhoun & Columbia.

HINTS OF SUMMER.

Hints of summer all over this store. We are ready with your summer things now. We load ourselves with these things early to give careful buyers a chance. We know you depend on us for that sort of thing. We keep too wide-awake a store to disappoint you at any cost.

HELPFUL SPRING HINTS.

We have formed a friendly alliance with the weather, to push spring suits and coats. The weather hints that your winter cloak and winter suit are a bit too heavy for comfort. We suggest that our cloak and suit department is the proper place for you to look for relief. The daintiest of spring garments here at a price to please you.

FAIR AND SQUARE.

The disposition of this store is to do business on honor, in a neighborly way, fair and square, without any sly subterfuge. We mean to do business as business should be done between fair minded people. No attempt at chicanery; no promises we will not keep. No goods we cannot recommend. Prices fair.

PERSONAL PROPERTY LOANS.

Money Loaned
In Small
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AMOUNTS.

Without delay and at smallest rates on household goods, pianos, horses and wagons, carriages and other like security on a new easy payment plan. All business private and confidential. The property is left in your possession. It pays to borrow of us. Give us a call.

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Open Saturday evenings from 7 to 8:30.

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Manufacturer of the
Martin-Back Water Trap,
For collars and basements, and UNION
HEATER for bath, latrine and all kinds of
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Teeth Extracted Without Pain.

Set of Teeth.....\$5.
Gold Crowns.....\$10.
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Gold Fillings.....\$10.
Silver Fillings.....\$10.
Silver Pillars.....\$10.
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April 7 and 8, afternoon
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The largest display of Bicycles and
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Good music and flowers for the
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THEY ARE WONDERS.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Ed Wilson is in Chicago.

Harry I. Park, of Kendallville, is in the city.

Architect J. E. Wing, was in Val-paraiso yesterday.

Andrew Urban, of Montpelier, is a visitor in the city.

W. A. Pierson, of Knox, Ind., was in the city last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stutlar, of Goshen, are in the city today.

W. A. Pierson, of Knox, is in Fort Wayne on business today.

Mrs. J. Koeb, of Akron, Ohio, visited in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Colonel C. E. Briant, of Huntington, was in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Mrs. R. F. Frost, of Huntington, was a Fort Wayne visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Stutlar, of Goshen, visited in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Attorney C. E. Emanuel, of Auburn, is in the city on a professional errand.

Noah W. Butterbaugh, of this city, has been appointed a railway postal clerk.

Mrs. Metcalf Book, of Warsaw, was a visitor with relatives in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Mrs. H. H. Barcus, who has been the guest of Mrs. M. J. Bliff, returned to her home at Bluffton today.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Berlin and daughter Mrs. C. W. Light, of Warsaw, attended the funeral of the late George Blackburn.

Miss Lulu Kintz, of the north side, entertained a number of young friends one evening this week in honor of her birthday anniversary.

The members of the Sons of Veterans gave a very pleasant hop at their hall in the Elektron building last evening, which was largely attended.

T. B. McCrum, a student in Chicago dental college, was the guest of Dr. Leedy, a few days this week. He is now at his home in Huntington county.

Miss Ethel Mossman returned to school in Olivet, Mich., yesterday. She was accompanied by her friend, Miss King, who was a visitor here during the vacation.

Painters have brightened the interior of the Greatest grocery, and this popular trading place presents an improved appearance. The Greatest is enjoying an immense business.

Dr. and Mrs. McCurdy will be at home Saturday evening from 8 to 10 o'clock to the members and friends of the Wayne street M. E. church to meet Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Bennett, of Anderson, Ind.

Dr. Myers and Messer yesterday operated on Mrs. Lennard, of Monroeville, for re-section of the bowels. The operation was performed in St. Joseph hospital. Charles Meyers, of Bluffton, was operated upon for strangulated hernia.

Wayne tent, No. 54, K. O. T. M., last evening elected L. S. Williams delegate to the state convention at Huntington, May 17th and 18th, and Mr. Kincaid alternate. Messrs. Thomas, Kincaid and Corcoran were named as a railroad committee.

An informal, but none the less enjoyable thimble party was given by Miss Oro Perfect yesterday afternoon for her cousin, Miss May Perfect, of St. Paul, Minn. A guessing game engaged the attention of the young ladies present, Miss May Perfect winning the prize.

Hon. James E. Gliddons, of Raleigh, N. C., editor of the Raleigh Times, and member of the state legislature, is in the city visiting his old college friend, Dr. W. R. Mayo. Mr. Gliddons is making his first trip to the northern states, and is much surprised and pleased with what he sees. He will visit Chicago before his return home.

The program for the meeting of the Indiana Municipal Police league to be held in Fort Wayne, May 15, is announced. Mayor Scholer will deliver the address of welcome, and the response will be Hon. Joseph Day, mayor of Dunkirk. City Attorney Shambaugh is down for the leading part in a discussion of "The Advantage of Uniformity of Ordinances for Cities of the League and the Best Plan to Secure Them," which subject will be presented by City Attorney J. Fred Franco, of Huntington.

The first reception of the Easter season was given by Mrs. L. O. Hull, yesterday from 3 to 6 in the afternoon, in compliment to Mrs. Sam Wikel, of Grand Rapids, Mich. Mrs. George Beloit assisted in receiving. The house was brilliantly lighted and the floral decorations were beautiful throughout. Alexander's mandolin orchestra discoursed fine music in the hall upstairs. Mrs. Will Reitz, Miss Crane and Miss Keegan ushered the guests into the dining room, where Mrs. Charles Wilding presided at the table, assisted by Della Rossell, Clara and Mable Hull, who served ices and cakes. Punch was served in the music room by Miss Hattersley and Miss Rossell.

W. C. Lutz, of South Bend, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Glenn Mills is visiting her parents in Kalamazoo.

J. H. Halserly, of Angola, was a visitor in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Frank S. Lightfoot is in St. Louis on business for the Bass foundry.

Rev. W. E. Groves, of Midford, was a visitor in the city this morning.

Miss Ella Greer has recovered from her recent attack of pneumonia.

Nicholas Scheer, a Huntington contractor, was in Fort Wayne on business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Hull are entertaining Mrs. Samuel Wikel, of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Mary Gable, who has been very ill at her home, 40 Madison street, is recovering.

Mrs. Charles Muhler, who has been ill with pneumonia, is reported considerably improved.

The Morning Musical met today. The program was in charge of Miss Frank and Miss Freeman.

The members of the Laetitia club were pleasantly entertained last evening by Mrs. John C. Peters.

John Pritchett has returned to his home in Huntington county, after a short visit with Fort Wayne friends.

Sigmund Kirscheimer, a member of the Chicago firm of Kirscheimer Bros., is in the city, the guest of Nathan Rothschild.

Mrs. M. S. Dessauer, of Montrose, Pa., is in Fort Wayne the guest of her son, M. E. Dessauer, of the firm of Wolf & Dessauer.

Mrs. A. B. Treatman and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Barney O'Connor will return from a six weeks' sojourn at Hot Springs, Ark., next Tuesday.

Invitations have been received in Fort Wayne to the wedding of Miss Kathryn Drovor and Herbert P. Kenower, both of Huntington, which will take place on April 27th, at the home of the bride.

TOMORROW

Another Bargain Day at the Bee Hive Dry Goods House.

100 silk umbrellas \$1.25 for 93c.

20 doz. chambray gloves for 60c a pair.

50 doz. of our \$1.55 fine kid gloves at \$1.40 a pair.

Another wrapper day.

100 ladies' wrappers, regular price \$1.50, at 97c.

100 ladies' wrappers, regular price 75c, at 45c.

500 pair of ladies' black hose, regular price 15c, at 10c a pair.

Ladies' percale shirt waists, 45c each, regular price 75c.

100 doz. ladies' underwear, earset covers, drawers, chemise, at 25c each.

Inspect our new neckwear.

Inspect our new parasols.

50 ladies' suits, just placed on sale, nobby, stylish, exclusive styles.

Elegant line of ladies' skirts and petticoats.

Fifty doz. ladies' jackets, nobby styles at \$5.00, regular price \$7.50. Call early.

THE FRANK DRY GOODS CO.

We are now selling from our second shipment of Knox Hats. If you want the right thing buy of Patterson.

\$12 GIVEN AWAY

With every cash purchase of \$1.00 or over we will give a key, one of which will unlock a box displayed in our window containing \$12.00. The first key attached to a tag that unlocks the box next Monday will receive the money.

GLOBE.

A. K. HURST & CO.

Attend the Meyer Cycle Co.'s opening this evening and tomorrow. Flowers to the ladies.

ONTON SETS.

ONION SETS.

White Onion Sets, 50 per qt. or \$1.50 per bu.

Yellow Onion Sets, 40 per qt. or \$1.25 per bu. at

THE NEW KEYSTONE,

228 and 240 Calhoun St.

Patterson has got them coming on bicycle suits, sweaters and golf hose.

SPECIAL SALE

For Saturday at The Model Clothing Store, 5 East Main Street.

25 doz. blue denim overalls, 50c.

25 doz. brownies, age 1 to 15, 20c.

25 doz. men's fancy white shirts, with 2 collars and cuffs, regular price 75c, now 45c.

25 men's working shirts, black and white stripes, best quality, regular price 40c, now 25c.

25 juvenile 3 piece vestee suits, navy blue and fancy trimming, regular price \$3.00, now \$1.95.

25 men's clay worsted suits, gray and black, regular price \$10.00, now \$7.50.

The best line of boys knee pants in the city is always found at Patterson's.

Mrs. Robert Harding is the guest of friends at Decatur.

A. B. Trentman has gone to Chicago on a business trip.

Miss Nora Coe has returned from Roanoke, where she visited with her parents for a few days.

It has been fully demonstrated that Ely's Cream Balm is a specific for Nasal Catarrh and cold in the head. This distinction has been achieved only as the result of continued successful use. A morbid condition of the membrane in the nasal passages can be cured by this purifying and healing treatment. Sold by druggists or it will be mailed for 50 cents by Ely Brothers, 55 Warren street, New York. It spreads over the membrane, is absorbed and relief is immediate.

A WORD TELLS IT

A trifle buys it—look wondrously pretty, newly arrived, rich in quality and popular tints, dainty as a field of daisies.

PATTERSON SHOWS IT.

TOMORROW

A Wonderland of Shoe Bargains.

Thing A Co.'s Mystic Maze of Shoe Cheapness.

Ladies' fine chocolate and black lace shoes tomorrow \$1.00.

Children's 75c chocolate lace and button shoes, cloth uppers, sizes 5 to 8, 50c.

Men's fine dress shoes, congress and lace, \$1.50 at other stores, tomorrow at Thing's, \$1.00.

Babies' congo shoes, 11c.

Ladies' bicycle shoes, canvas and all leather, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Men's bicycle shoes, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Men's fine vic kid lace shoes, cheap at \$2.50, tomorrow at \$1.99.

Youths' lace shoes, sizes 9 to 13, 50c.

Boys' fine dress shoes, black and chocolate, 99c.

Ladies' serge congress and lace shoes, tomorrow, 50c.

Ladies' serge slippers, 35c.

Over 600 cases of ladies', men's, misses' and children's new spring shoes, just received this week. Store crowded with bargains. The popular shoe men that leads them all.

S. E. THING & CO.,

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Large Red Boot.

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NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Fort Wayne Trust company will be held at the office of the company, corner Main and Court streets, in the City of Fort Wayne, on Monday, April 17th, 1899, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the election of 12 directors to serve during the ensuing year, until succeeded, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

HENRY C. PAUL, Pres.

C. A. WILDING, Sec.

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Have a first-class job of painting done on your carriage or buggy at Roach & Albanus, 11 and 13 Clay street.

Cordial relations between the buyer and the seller is what we strive for. We want your steady trade and to get it we put a come-again bargain in every bundle.

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Attend the Meyer Cycle Co.'s opening this evening and tomorrow. Flowers to the ladies.

Commencing Monday, April 3d, the Edison Electric Construction Co., will have their office open evenings from 7 to 8:30 p. m. Room 4, Schmitz block. Phone 263. 29-124

Saturday Only.

100 pairs of \$3.00 men's shoes go at \$1.50 per pair.

W. A. ROSS,

9 Harrison St.

Platinotypes.

We have received a new line of genuine Platinotypes. We invite you to call and see them.

KEIL & KEIL,

116 Calhoun.

Remington Bicycles

Are built as accurate as the Remington rifle. For sale by

C. H. MILLER,

20 W. Main St.

Buy your washkintosh at Patterson's.

Wanted.

A star ten, coffee and spice salesman with an established trade tributary to Fort Wayne. No other need apply. Big salary to right man.

H. C. FRIETTER,

Chicago.

Mrs. Robert Harding is in Decatur the guest of her parents.

Patterson doesn't talk much but his new spring styles appeal to all.

WANTED.

WANTED A cook, references required. Apply 17 West Wayne street.

WANTED A good girl for general housework, apply 21 West Wayne street.

WANTED Manager at office, good paying business. Address Box 110, Auburn, Ind.

WANTED Young girl for housework. Apply to Mrs. Carl Gable, No. 9 Webster street.

WANTED Agent at Franklin hotel; good wages paid; call at once. 26 Hanna street.

WANTED At once, three or four good sewing girls at Mrs. A. C. Pomeroy's 51 Hayes & Long block.

WANTED If you want to borrow money see "ad" on first page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs.

WANTED AGENTS—Four well dressed gentlemen, must be well recommended; state salary, willing to work for. Address, this office.

WANTED By a lady, a work for the day; will be ready to work Monday morning. If you would like a situation as night cook in a restaurant, please address or call, 41 West Main street, Fort Wayne, Ind.

WANTED General Agents—Men and women for our new six-cylinder motor cars. History in every county. Most liberal remuneration. Permanent situation; no capital or experience required; settlements weekly. Special inducements given. Jones Brothers, Publishing Co., P. O. Box 111, Longworth St., Cincinnati, O.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Store, 212 Calhoun St. Inquire of L. M. Nicks & Son, 221f

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms. Apply No. 41 West Main street.

FOR RENT—Storefront at 26 West Main, also house at 15 West Wayne. Inquire at 11 N. Wayne St.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms; suitable for four young men; 12 W. Johnston street.

FOR RENT—If you want a bargain in real estate call at Val Reichel, 23 Court street. Telephone 49.

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FOR RENT—If you want money on household goods see "ad" on first page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, gentlemen; modern conveniences, central, moderate price. Address, 15, Bandolier.

FOR RENT—Seven room brick house, 63 W. Main street, and six room frame house, 128 W. Main street. Inquire of C. W. Edgerly at 11 N. Main street.

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FOR RENT—Ladies room, third floor over 107 and 109 Calhoun street; also office during half of each hour of each building for rent on any Saturday evening at very reasonable price for particular telephone 1082 or inquire on third floor of building any afternoon from 1:30 to 3.

FOR RENT—No. 230 Wilson avenue, three room 229 Calhoun, dwelling, No. 40 Lincoln street, 14th ave., 31 Rough St., 248 E. Main St., 63 W. Superior St., 31 W. Erie St., 231 W. Harrison St., 38 Watkins St., 124 Hanna Ave., 16 W. DeWald St., 31 W. Washington, 228 W. Berry. Shrador & Wilson, first floor, 7 Court street.

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TEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT PAIN

With our late improved method we will give \$50.00 for any tooth we cannot extract without pain.

I had 25 teeth extracted without pain or bad after effects at the Boston Dental Parlor.

Mrs. B. T. WEILL.

NO PLATES REQUIRED

22-k Gold Crowns.....\$4.00

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Gold Fillings.....75c up

C. J. Welker,

Schultz Block, 118 Calhoun St.

Decided Bargains Tomorrow—Big Values and Low Prices on all New Spring Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets, Gloves, Ladies' Wrappers, Umbrellas, Etc.

68s for ladies' 2 clasp kid gloves in all the new spring shades, the kind other stores charge you \$1.00 for. 25 doz ladies' new shirt waists at 50c each, worth 75c.

1 case ladies' 12 1/2 hose at \$1.00 a pair.

100 doz ladies' hose, double sole, high spliced heel and double toe, at 15c a pair, regular value 25c.

1 case children's fine hose, worth 25c, at 15c a pair.

50 doz boys' iron clad stockings, made to wear, quadruple knee, price 25c a pair.

1 case ladies' summer corsets, no such value anywhere else at the price, 25c.

Our 50c corsets are trade wrappers. Nothing like them at the price in the city. Colors pink, white, blue, drab and black.

25 inch ladies' changeable silk umbrellas, worth \$1.50; sale price \$1.00.

Ladies' wrappers at special prices—68c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Ladies' pocketbooks 25c, worth 50c.

Boys' silk Windsor ties 15c, worth 25c.

Men's night shirts, worth 75c, at 50c.

Men's 25c working shirts at 15c. Embroidered worth 80c and 10c, at 50c a yard.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 1899.

TONIGHT.

Westminster Church—Entertainment by Junior Christian Endeavorers.

Hebrew Temple—Regular services.

Working Girls' Federal Union—Regular meeting.

Printing Pressmen—Regular meeting.

Volunteers of America—Gospel meeting at armory, 228 Calhoun street.

Helping Hand Mission Meetings—Every night at No. 16 West Columbia street.

G. A. R.—Regular meeting of Anthony Wayne post No. 271.

Lodges—Fort Wayne Camp, No. 768, Royal Neighbors; Concordia, No. 41, D. of R.; Royal Templars; Mad Anthony Tent, No. 95, K. O. T. M.; Fort Wayne Hive No. 6; Howard Council No. 246, Royal Arcanum; B. P. O. E. No. 156; Summit City No. 170, F. & A. M.; Summit City Encampment No. 16, I. O. O. F.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week:

Friday—"The Span of Life."

CHINA is too late in putting up the bars. Having granted many concessions, having "rented" territory to certain powers, she is now bound to give all others that have a navy a show. Also she will be

forced to increase the foreign holdings under the claim that it is necessary to the best administration, and especially to her own revenues.

An attack on the Bulgarians by the Turks was long past due. The wonder is that the former have been allowed to enjoy so long a season of exemption from outrage and massacre.

The commander of the Spanish torpedo boat destroyer Terror says that as he rushed toward the United States auxiliary cruiser St. Paul, outside of San Juan de Porto Rico, to torpedo the great ship, the Terror began to turn around, and, in spite of all efforts, sheered around and went back to port. This mysterious conduct of the Terror was due, he says, to the steering gear being disabled.

The Detroit experiment of municipal ownership of street railway lines will be watched with interest. It is significant that in buying the lines, the city will have to pay the largest part, amounting to millions, not for any material property, but for franchises which the city council gave to the companies for nothing. If the municipality had retained the ownership of the franchises, it could afford to give the best service for a two-cent fare. Americans are the shrewdest business men in the world, but municipal government in this country is in many instances the rankest folly and wickedness.

As the ostensible purpose of the trusts is to promote economy by reducing expenses, and, as the greater part of the expense of every kind of production is the labor involved, it follows inevitably that the promotion of trusts involves a reduction of labor. When two concerns are operated by consolidation at the former cost of one, some of the employees of one or both must be thrown out of work, and when this process is repeated in thousands of instances, many thousands of persons must be deprived of the means of livelihood. This fact, which has long been foreseen by students of political economy, is now beginning to force itself upon public attention, and measures to counteract it are being considered. A convention of contractors representing several classes of workmen has been held at Indianapolis to organize a movement against the trusts, and it was resolved to buy only from parties not affiliated with them. But, while this plan may succeed in some cases, it will not be effective in all, because there are now many classes so completely under trust control that consumers must buy from them or go without. Some other way than this to fight the trusts must be found, and, in view of Attorney General Griggs' recent declaration that the national government has no control over them, it is difficult to see what effectual plan can be had.

THE CUBAN OPPORTUNITY.
The Cuban assembly preferred dissolution to mobbing. It might have come to that if the Cuban soldiers had been forced by the stupid malignity of the assembly to see an American vessel steaming out of Havana harbor with the precious three millions of specie intended for them. It was the resolve of General Brooke to send the money back that brought matters to a climax. The Cuban army has been very patient and as free from pugnacity as it was during the American war on the Spaniards at Santiago; but the loss of the money would have awakened it to violence and the lamppost of Havana might have been decorated with members of the assembly. At any rate it was the fear of that which led to the order for the disbanding of the idle army and the dissolution of the mischievous assembly.

This removes the only menace to the quiet administration of the government by the Americans. As long as the shrill-voiced demagogues seemed to have an official standing their attacks on this government had a possibility of mischief. They gave encouragement to the lawless element, which looks upon the police and the American troops as natural enemies. They seemed to show that a Cuban government was overruled by a foreign power and offered a nucleus for an insurrectionary movement. Indeed, that was boldly urged. Of course, there was never a fear of any actual resistance, for the Cuban people are in full sympathy with General Gomez and are satisfied with American administration, but in the interests of peace and good will the dissolution of the Assembly and the disbanding of the army must have a good effect.

With the money they receive from this government the soldiers who have not already pledged the full amount to greedy speculators can go into the country and make a fair beginning of self-support. With less attention to questions of politics and more to business they can hope for a final emergence from the poverty of the present into an unprecedented prosperity. The banes of their lives since the overthrow of Spain has been their concern for independence, although it could be of no benefit to a poverty-stricken, idle, and riotous people. What they need to do is to work and save until the shadow of penury is dissipated; to ignore politics and politicians, reserve their breath for plowing and planting and reaping, and trust to the Americans to protect the island from the demagogic vulgares who pose as patriots. Spain was defeated in vain if freedom does not lead to industry and efforts at self-improvement. The government will take care of itself if the citizens will labor for their own progress.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take Cassio's Brown Quinine Tablets. All right signs round the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has J. H. Q. on each tablet.

A MAN CAN'T WORK

When He is Suffering With Piles.

He Can't Eat, Sleep, Can't Get Comfort Anyway but One—Pyramid Pile Cure. Will Cure Him: Give Instant Relief.

Just as a little pain may so distract a man's life that it will cost him hundreds of dollars. Life is a battle. To succeed one needs all his energies and all his brain forces to apply to the question at hand. Even a corn will make him irritable, cross, angry—and an angry man seldom succeeds. The trifling pain of a corn is a pleasant feeling besides the agonizing ache of piles. That is a pain which seems to pervade the whole body. It communicates itself to all parts near the seat of the trouble and brings on a heavy dragging feeling in the perineum. Those who do not suffer do not know what it means. It racks the nerve, prevents sleep, prevents concentration of thought and makes a man lose flesh as fast as he would with a virulent fever.

As yet piles are looked upon as a little thing. They are neglected—allowed to run on from month to month and from year to year. By and by comes a surgical operation. Maybe it cures—maybe it kills.

There is only one sure, safe and quick cure for piles. It is the Pyramid Pile Cure. It is a recent discovery and its properties are such that it cleanses, soothes and heals the inflamed parts, reduces the inflammation at once and with continued treatment, removes all swelling and all trace of disease. It puts the membranes in a healthy active condition and cures completely and permanently.

From C. F. Collins, Garnett: "I commenced using the Pyramid Pile Cure, but my case was so bad that I was afraid the remedy would fail, but before I had used two-thirds of a package I began to feel much better and I am honestly saying I am entirely cured. It is the quickest and surest remedy I have ever heard of."

From Josiah Roberts, Port Oram, N. J.: "Just one-quarter of a package of the Pyramid Pile Cure did wonders for me and I have lost no opportunity of recommending such a wonderful remedy."

From Wm. McHale, Rockport, Mass.: "One package of Pyramid Pile Cure has helped me more than anything I have yet used."

Pyramid Pile Cure is sold by druggists generally. If your druggist doesn't keep it, he will get it for you if you ask him. Book on cause and cure of piles sent free. Address, Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA.

Captain Scott to be Assisted by Lieutenant Ott Soon.

First Lieutenant Smith and wife and son, from Jackson, Mich., stopped over in Fort Wayne last night on their way to Elwood, Ind., where they are going to take charge of the work. Lieutenant Ott, who is now commanding officer at that post, has been ordered to report to Captain Scott as the captain's assistant. Captain Scott had applied for removal to another post, but the general has decided that it will be in the interest of the Fort Wayne post to keep the present leader, so Fort Wayne will not be affected by the general change of officers at all the other posts in the regiment.

Lieutenant Ott is expected here on Saturday. Captain Scott has rented the residence at 335 West Jefferson street, and is now furnishing it for officers' quarters, and one of the lady soldiers of the post is detailed as housekeeper.

A vigorous campaign is planned for the summer, and will be put in operation as soon as the captain's assistants arrive.

Saturday evening there will be a grand temperance rally at the armory, 228 Calhoun street. The successful evangelist, W. James Price, will be present, and there will be special music and singing. Every one who is interested in the cause of temperance is invited to be present.

A PRETTY DISPLAY.

Exhibit of Cotton, Wool and Silk Industries at Miner Street School.

Fourth and fifth grade pupils of the Miner street school are deeply engaged in the study of the cotton, wool and silk industries as shown by pretty exhibits of these lines which have been secured by Miss Carrie Snively, teacher of the fifth grade, and Mrs. Williams of the fourth grade. These exhibits not only add much to the pupil's interest in the work, but will prove valuable and instructive to all who can see them.

There is a cotton exhibit from the J. & P. Coat's Thread company that has been used in connection with the study of the cotton states. The geography of the south and the language work in composition have been directed along this line and the exhibit gives pupils a practical idea of this great industry. In the exhibit the cotton is first shown in the flower, and each successive step is shown by a sample which shows its progress through ginning and baling, to the factory. Then the work of lapping, carding, draw-

ing, roving and spinning are shown, and finally the cotton appears in finished product—spooled thread, crocheted cotton, etc. Even the manufacture of the spool is shown through its successive stages.

Miss Snively has also secured from the Homenay company a very rich silk exhibit. Here the silk is shown in cocoons, then as raw silk, silk in gum, boiled silk, the dyeing process and finally a beautiful assortment of manufactured threads and flosses.

Mrs. Williams has been successful in securing an interesting wool exhibit for use in the study of Australia. The wool is first shown in its raw state, and the scouring, carding, combing, drawing, spinning, doubling and dyeing are illustrated by samples which finally lead up to the completed Saxony yarns and woolen fabrics.

The exhibits are certainly of much interest and value, and the instructors and pupils of Miner school are to be congratulated in securing a feature which makes their study of these matters really fascinating.

BASE BALL.

Babb Makes an Impression in Indianapolis.

The Long Third Base Inn is Sized Up to Its Goal—Local Gossip of the Diamond.

The Indianapolis News says: "Charles Babb, the new third baseman, is here, and his work interested the other players. Babb handles himself like a bull-player, particularly at the bat. He had no chance now to show how he can corral 'daisy cutters' around third base, as the diamond is being worked over and the players are forced to do their practicing in the outfield. Babb is a likely looking player, and Manager Allen is pleased with his appearance. He is confident that he can hold his own in the Western league, and he will receive a thorough trial at the most difficult point in the diamond."

NOTES.

The Shamrocks will practice on the McCulloch grounds Sunday afternoon.

This time last season all the Inter-State teams were in practice. Toledo is the only club that has seen its players so far this season.

Jack Taylor, the Western league twirler signed by President Hart, of Chicago, says \$1,500 is too small a salary and refuses to sign a league contract.

Blue, Toledo's elongated twirler, who failed to pitch a game last season, has reported at Ann Arbor and Strobel is confident he will be a winner this season.

"Bad Bill Eagan," who has been spending several months in a New Jersey jail for trying to kill his wife, has been signed by the Detroit Western league club.

Forty feet more space in left field would make the new Fort Wayne park the best in any minor league. Increase the size of the ground, gentlemen, while the iron's hot, and Fort Wayne will show Youngstown, New Castle, Wheeling, et al., what a nice ball ground really is.

Hanlon must have had the blues Wednesday when his discarded Baltimore beat the Brooklyn stars by a score of 3 to 2. McGraw and Robinson were happy, however, over their former chief's defeat. The new Baltimore and Cleveland teams are not as weak as some people believe and it's an even wager that neither of the clubs finish last.

The Cincinnati Enquirer has a long puff on Torreyson's Grand Rapid team, in which it says that Valdois was the king-pin short stop of the Inter State league. Woodlock or Mattress could make "Val" look like a selling plaster in a race with stakes horses. But what Torreyson doesn't know about getting "puffed" no other manager need try to learn.

Judge Nindo left this morning for Hot Springs, Ark., for a brief rest. He will be absent a week or two.

WHEN YOU ARE READY FOR THAT

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This spring, or anything in the paint or varnish line, small or large cans, you will find it at

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A YOUNG MOTHER

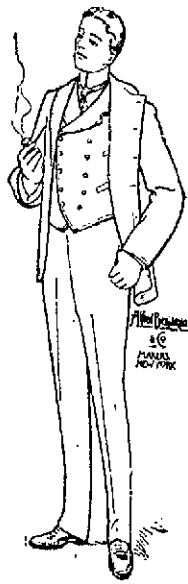
flushed with perfect health and strength, said, as she exhibited with pride her baby, "I must confess that my present health and the almost phenomenal development and good health of baby are due to the use of Pabst Malt Extract. The "Best" Tonic. The necessity of feeding the child was such a tax on me at first that I became nervous, weak and exhausted. "Best" Tonic was recommended. I took it and began to build at once. Baby began to show the effects within a week. I continued its use for months, until I went out into the country and neglected to take my tonic with me. I lost fifteen pounds in six weeks, and could scarcely feed baby. Since returning, some three weeks ago, I have again been taking "Best" Tonic. I have gained six pounds and the little one is again progressing. Just think, he is thirteen months old, weighs 32 pounds, and I have not weaned him yet."



Let every mother apply this to her own experience and at least give the "Best" Tonic a trial, if not for her own sake, for that of her child. Let her provide for baby as nature says every mother should.

To produce magnificent children was a supreme aim among the Greeks, those lovers of perfection in those right athletic exercises which aggrandized the glory of the body. For without a perfect body how can a babe at once begin to fight the battle of existence with conquering energy, or how derive those elements of hardness, pure blood, strength and bright mind, if the mother is not prepared, helped and insured against too great weakness, given the right sustenance, and kept in a position of ease, happy thought, pleasing sensations and good sound slumber? Hundreds of children are puny, slow, with nerveless supine motions and ungainly countenances, because the mother was forced to put all her energies into the power to bear them, without the strength of sturdy health. Habitual use of Pabst Malt Extract, The "Best" Tonic, makes rich and pure blood, strengthens the bones and muscles, and adds to the development of the perfect form, a glow in the mother, which aids against too great weakness, given the right sustenance, and kept in a position of ease, happy thought, pleasing sensations and good sound slumber? Hundreds of children are puny, slow, with nerveless supine motions and ungainly countenances, because the mother was forced to put all her energies into the power to bear them, without the strength of sturdy health. Habitual use of Pabst Malt Extract, The "Best" Tonic, makes rich and pure blood, strengthens the bones and muscles, and adds to the development of the perfect form, a glow in the mother, which aids against too great weakness, given the right sustenance, and kept in a position of ease, happy thought, pleasing sensations and good sound slumber? 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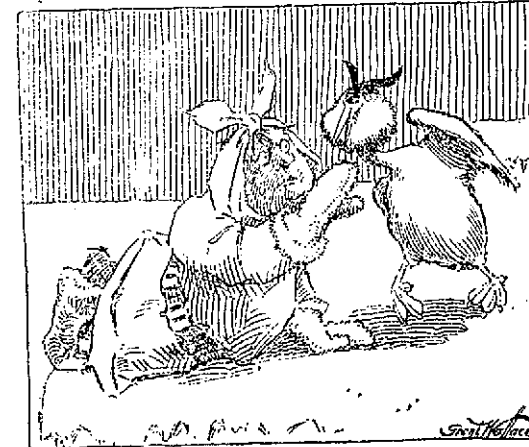
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Ed Brush Summoned to
His Eternal Home.

WELL KNOWN HERE
Chesapeake and Ohio is
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Affairs at the Depots, Railway
Offices and Shops of
Interest.

Edward Brush died at his home
in Grand Rapids yesterday after an
illness which confined him to the
house for about a month. He was
afflicted with consumption, but was
not considered in a serious condition
until recently. He leaves a wife and
one child. The funeral will take
place in Grand Rapids tomorrow
morning and will be attended
by a number of the rail-
way friends of the deceased
from this city. Mr. Brush was
about thirty-eight years old. He
had worked on the Grand Rapids
road many years, the last part of
his service being in the capacity of
a passenger brakeman. He ran in
and out of this city and was about
as well known to the railway boys
here as he was in his home city.
He possessed a genial, social dispo-
sition and was quite a favorite with
his acquaintances.

Will Establish Car Shops.

One of the results of the combi-
nation of the car building interests
of the country will be the establish-
ment of its own plant at Hunting-
ton, W. Va., by the Chesapeake and
Ohio company. The officials of the
road are reticent on the subject, but
they have been moving in that
direction and have advanced to the
point of selecting a site for the
shops.

Sir William Remains.

The annual revival of the rumor
that Sir William Van Horne would
retire from the presidency of the
Canadian Pacific railway company
has occurred and has again been
denied by that gentleman. In re-
sponse to an inquiry Sir William
said: "I will advertise one year in
advance when I decide to quit the
Canadian Pacific. You can state
that, and they needn't worry over
my resignation in future."

Patterson Work Trains.

This morning the Grand Rapids
and Indiana company put its steam
shovel and two work trains in op-
eration at Ridgeville, Ind., reducing a
heavy grade. The company ex-
pects to expend considerable money
the coming season in betterments
on the Richmond division of the
line.

Getting Ready for Summer Travel.

The Grand Rapids and Indiana
officials have been notified by the
Baldwin Locomotive works that the
four large passenger engines or-
dered some time ago will be shipped
next week. These engines are in-
tended for use in the northern
Michigan resort business, which
will not open until June. The com-
pany has every reason to believe
that this travel is going to be
greater this year than ever before
and they are getting ready to han-
dle it.

General and Personal.

W. H. Meyers, a blacksmith in
the Pittsburg shops, is sick and off
duty.

E. C. Kramer, a flue outter in
the Pittsburg shops, is sick and off
duty.

After a two weeks' illness John
Handenchild has reported for duty
at the Pittsburg boiler shop.

Today the Madison car shops
commenced delivering cars to the
Wabash at the rate of fifteen a day.

Joseph Desser, who had been on
the sick list, resumed work this
morning in the upholstering room
at the Pittsburg shops.

P. W. Lordier, who had some
fingers injured in the Pittsburg
shops a few days ago, has recovered
sufficiently to resume work.

Contractor H. W. Tapp sent down
about a dozen fine ducks which he
had killed on the marshes. Shoot-
ing is said to be good on the Kankakee
this spring.

cluding two stops, Wednesday
night.

Trainmaster C. E. Wells, of Peru,
was in the city over night, leaving
this morning for his home.

The Electric corporation yester-
day received an order for an 1,000
light dynamo, to be delivered next
week.

Pittsburg Engineers W. K. Winder
and D. P. Eldred and Fireman T. F.
Haley are off duty on account of
sickness.

J. Newhouse and E. F. H. Dornte,
of the Pittsburg shops, are taking a
day or two off to look after some
private business.

The employees at the electric
works received their wages yester-
day. The receivers pay the men
every two weeks.

George Irwin, a boilermaker
helper, has resigned his position at
the Wabash shops. He will engage
in some other kind of work.

C. C. Miller, who had been look-
ing after the interests of the Electric
corporation at St. Louis for several
days, returned home last evening.

Henry Homeyer, machinist at the
Wabash shops, will be the guest of
friends in Chicago over Sunday.
He will be accompanied by his son.

The Western Gas Construction
company is making some changes
in its offices at the factory. Con-
tractor Grotholm is doing the work.

A slight break in the machinery
at the Wabash shops last evening
caused a suspension of operations in
the machine shop for an hour or
two.

R. G. Frederic, a business man of
Harrison, Ohio, has invented a new
automatic railway signal which is
being tested on the Big Four with
good results.

David Rowan, caller of Pennsylv-
ania train crews, is enjoying a few
days' recreation and the duties of
the office are being attended to by
George Gerard, of the east yards.

Contractor Grotholm will finish
the Mordhurst house, on West Berry
street, this week, and then take up
the work of building a house for
Charles Schwieler, on Montgomery
street.

Theodore Homeler had his left
hand crushed in a machine at the
box factory on Columbia street yes-
terday afternoon. It was found
necessary to amputate the second
finger.

Fred Rapp, an armature winder,
has gone to Chicago to take a po-
sition in the shops of the Seiman-
Halske company. He worked for
the Fort Wayne Electric corpora-
tion for several years.

After an illness of about six
months, John Carroll, the well
known engineer, has reported for
duty on the Wabash road. He will
probably be assigned to his old job
of "taming" engines.

The engine on Grand Rapids and
Indiana train No. 6, which is due
here at 12:30 o'clock a. m., broke
down near Perrin last night and
the train was an hour and a half
late. There was no serious damage.

W. F. Schoer, who was a clerk in
the Grand Rapids and Indiana
freight office, has accepted a position
as bill clerk on the day force in the
same office. H. L. Bearinger has
succeeded Mr. Schoer on the night
force.

The several branch lines which
the Chicago and Northwestern will
build the present year will open a
rich country in agricultural re-
sources and live stock, which will
largely increase the business of the
main line.

The Erie failed in its efforts to
get a line into Springfield, Ohio. It
was proposed to build through Sny-
der park, but the commissioners de-
cided that the deed conveying the
property to the city precluded that
possibility.

Charles S. Holcombe, recently
appointed traveling freight agent of
the Chicago and Rock Island at
Buffalo, has decided not to accept
the position, but will go to New
York as contracting agent of the
New York Central lines.

The electric works were slightly
crippled today by one of the boiler
flues springing a leak, necessitating
the shutting down of one pair and
running the machinery with only
two boilers. It became necessary
to shut down some of the machin-
ery.

Joseph D. White, the blacksmith
who for so many years was em-
ployed as a toolmaker in the Pitts-
burg shops, has become a "horny-
handed tiller of the soil," having
rented and moved upon a farm in
Wabash county. A year ago Joe
secured a six months' leave of ab-
sence from the shops and engaged
in the concert business, his entire
family being good musicians, and
so successful was he that he decided
to sever his connection with the

shops completely. He will now
far in the summer and give con-
certs in the winter.

Wm. Kaeck, employed at Hoff-
man Brothers' lumber mill, had
two fingers on his left hand
mashed, yesterday afternoon, by
getting them caught in the gear
wheels of some machinery. The
fingers will not have to be ampu-
tated.

William G. Page, an air brake
machinist at the Pittsburg round
house, is off duty for a few days.
Yesterday the little finger of his
left hand was deprived of its nail
by an accidental blow with a sledge-
hammer in the hands of Mr. Page's
working partner.

Engine 1233, from the Buffalo di-
vision of the Wabash, arrived here
this morning and was immediately
taken into the shops for general re-
pairs. Switch engine 373, from
Tilton, and freight engine 41, from
the Covington branch of the system,
were turned out of the shops today,
having been thoroughly repaired.

Harry Da Bis, who is with the
Grand Trunk as traveling freight
agent, with headquarters at Cincin-
nati, will on the 1st of May sever
his connection with that company
to become agent at Cincinnati of
the Interstates Dispatch fast freight
line. George Broomat, of the
Monitor, at present has the agency.

Rhinesmith & Simonson have
purchased a new engine, which will
be placed in service in the carpenter
shop, south of the main factory.
That department now receives its
power, through a rope transmission
system, from the big engine in the
planing mills, but the method is
not satisfactory and hence the new
engine. Steam to drive the new en-
gine will be furnished by the boiler
ere in the mills.

Panhandle trains 20 and 21, which
are duplicates of train 8 and 9 on
the Fort Wayne road, are inade-
quate to the business, and the com-
pany has decided to put on two
more trains, to run an hour and a
half later. These trains catch nearly
all the travel over the Pennsylv-
ania southwestern system, between
the east and Indianapolis, St. Louis,
Louisville and Cincinnati, and a
portion of the Chicago travel.

Nothing is likely to result from
the inter-state commerce commis-
sion investigation into the rate cut-
ting charges against some roads
running through Ohio. The grand
jury refused to indict the Pennsylv-
ania and the Cincinnati North-
ern, although the companies did
not deny some of the charges. The
Nickel Plate and Baltimore and
Ohio officials admit cutting rates
and want to know "what you are
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Local Express No. 3... 7:25 am
Standard Express No. 4... 7:35 am
Nickel Plate Express No. 5... 7:45 am
Local Express No. 6... 7:55 am
Daily except Sunday. Light over A. M. Dark over P. M.
Through Drawing Room Sleeping Cars on Nos.
2, 4 and 6 to Cleveland, Erie, Buffalo, New York
and Boston; on Nos. 1, 3 and 5 to Chicago.
Meals are served at "up-to-date" Dining Sal-
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WABASH
Time Table Effective Feb. 13, 1899.
FROM FT. WAYNE TO LEAVE ARRIVE
GOING EAST.
No. 2. Fast Eastern Express, daily... 6:10 a.m.
No. 6. New England Fast Mail, daily... 11:55 a.m.
No. 24 Atlantic Express, daily... 1:00 p.m.
GOING WEST.
No. 1. Kansas City Cannon Ball, daily... 10:00 a.m.
No. 5. Engagement Fast Mail, daily... 3:45 p.m.
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Housekeeper's Opportunity

To Save Labor, Time and Expense.

Piled up on counters today for special sale, will be huge lots of well made, full-sized sheets and pillow cases. Ready for the bed at once—made of good sheetings, made by experts, better than can be done at home. Wide hem, and counting all, cheaper than can be done by buying materials and making up yourself.

Sale Commences Today at the Following Prices:

At 75c Each—8-4 unbleached sheets, good quality, finely hemmed.
At 18c Each—8-4 unbleached sheets, same quality as the 8-4.
At 48c Each—9-4 bleached sheets, wide hem, good sheeting.
At 50c, 55c and 60c each—9-4 bleached sheets, in three fine grades of sheeting, exceptional bargains.
At 50c and 60c Each—9-4 bleached hemstitched sheets, fine grades sheetings—very handsome hemstitching.
PILLOW CASES.
At 5 1/2c Each—Pillow cases, 45x36 inches.
At 11c and 12 1/2c—Pillow cases, 45x36 inches, made of nice pillow case muslin.
At 18c Each—Pillow cases 54x38 1/2 inches.
Hemstitched pillow cases in three grades, 45x36 inches, at 12 1/2c, 16c and 20c each.
Hemstitched pillow cases in three fine grades, 45x38 1/2 inches, at 20c, 25c and 30c each.
Pillow cases with two rows of hemstitching, 45x38 inches, at 25c each.
Pillow cases, with two rows of embroidered hemstitching, fine muslin, 45x36 inches, at 30c each.

Leave orders at Stationery Department for Visiting Cards. 100 cards, name and plate, \$1.00.

RURODE DRY GOODS CO.

Meyer & Stock, Architects

(German and English Spoken.)
Plans and estimates furnished on application.

108 Calhoun St.

ARRIVED!

Spring Jackets, Capes, Silk Shirt Waists, Suits, Skirts and Undergarments. Silk Capes \$1.00; Wool Capes 50c; all-wool jackets \$2.50; Silk Shirt Waists \$2.75; Satin Skirts 40c; Broaded Skirts 20c; Cheviot Suits \$3.99; Confirmation Suits \$3.00; Men's Solid Shoes 70c. See our Bicycles and fine display of Spring Hats.

THE FAIR, 4 and 6 Harrison St.

THE LATEST.

Our first Millinery Opening has been a great success. If in need of an Easter hat or bonnet, please call at **THE LATEST,** 157 Calhoun St.

For Sale or Exchange.

A new modern 9 room house on South Calhoun street for sale very cheap, or will trade for smaller property or vacant lot. Also a nice residence on Main street, the rent pays over 10 per cent. on investment. Property in all parts of the city for sale or trade.

S. Friestoffer, 4 and 6 Bank Block.

LOANS TO Salaried People.

(Ladies or Gentlemen) on their own names.

ROOM 3, Arcade, Upstairs.

MONEY!

Can be saved in no better advantage than by placing it with the **ALLEN COUNTY LOAN AND SAVINGS ASSOCIATION,** 23 East Berry Street. Any number of shares can be taken at any time. Six per cent. interest is paid on all classes of stock. No fees to investors. Money to loan for any purpose.

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You will find just the rightly cut clothes here, ready to wear, that any first-class custom tailor would charge you double our price for. We've all the fashionable shapes in the garments as well as the fabrics, and you have the advantage of trying on the clothes made up, so you can tell whether they are becoming BEFORE you buy them. 'Tis not so with clothes made to order.

Then, YOU take all the risks, the tailor none. Here WE take all the risks and you none, not even after you've paid for the clothes, because you can get your money back if you're dissatisfied.

Elegant Swiss Clocks Free With Purchases of \$12.00 or Over.

Ask for Coupons.

League Balls With Boys Suits.

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W.L. DOUGLAS

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BOYS WEAR OUR \$2.50 SHOES.

Our large business and method of selling at one profit through 60 states is the reason why we can sell a shoe for \$2.50 that costs elsewhere from \$5.00 to \$7.00.

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The Evening Sentinel.
FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 1899.

OUR TELEPHONES.
Business Office 173
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The Weather.
Chicago, April 7.—For Indiana: Rain tonight with probably colder in extreme south portion; Saturday partly cloudy; brisk northerly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

Hon. R. C. Bell is at Kendallville.

J. F. Wing returned last evening from Valparaiso.

M. S. Mahurin is at Piqua, Ohio, on business today.

O. F. Evans has returned from an extended trip through Michigan.

Mrs. John Carroll will go to Andrews tomorrow to visit relatives a week.

County Auditor William Meyer, jr., returned from Chicago this morning.

Mrs. Clarence Griswold left today for Bowling Green, Ohio, to visit her parents.

Mrs. Rosenthal, of Toledo, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Friedlob, of 130 East Berry street.

W. P. Smith returned yesterday from an extended business trip through Wisconsin and Michigan.

The Linden quartet will sing next Sunday morning and evening at the Wayne street M. E. church.

A force of men is engaged in putting up the booths in Randall hall for the fair to be given by the Olympia band.

J. V. Harris and wife, of Foster, Ohio, left this morning for St. Louis, after a visit with Attorney E. V. Harris.

J. F. Wing has purchased a handsome electro-vapor lunch which he will place on the lake at Rome City for use during his summer outing.

Emanuel Horst, who has been looking after the business of the Globe clothing house during the absence of the proprietor, A. K. Horst, who was at Dallas, Texas, returned to Garret today.

At a meeting of Wayne Tent, No. 51, Knights of the Klans, last evening, L. S. Williams was elected to represent that body at the great camp convention, which will be held in Huntington May 16 and 17. Frank Kincaid was chosen alternate.

Mr. Anderson, of Dallas, Tex., who was on route to Canton, Ohio, was taken suddenly ill on a Wabash train today and was taken to the New Avon hotel, where Dr. G. C. Stensen attended him. He is threatened with an attack of pneumonia.

The A. O. O. Circle held its first meeting yesterday afternoon, at the home of W. L. Bartfield, No. 152 Wells street. The following officers were chosen: President, Mrs. W. H. Bolls; vice president, Mrs. E. Gallagher; secretary, Mrs. F. Palmer. The circle starts with a promising outlook for the future.

Reports concerning the prospects for a wheat crop are not as discouraging as anticipated. Farmers say that only the wheat in the low lands has been destroyed and that that which was sown on high or clay soil gives promise of producing a good crop. As very little wheat is grown on any but high ground in Allen county, the outlook is not as gloomy one for our farmers.

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MAJOR MILLER LOW.

Captain Havens Writes That There Are Doubts of Recovery.

Capt. C. E. Reese this morning received a letter from Capt. W. F. Havens, of the adjutant general's office, in which Mr. Havens states that Major John Miller's condition was such that he entertained doubts as to his recovery. He appeared better when the letter was written, but this did not encourage his friends and attendants, who fear the end is near.

Bankruptcy Petition.

John W. Harrah, of Wolcottville, by his attorneys, Lowry & Lowry, this morning filed a petition in bankruptcy before Commissioner Logan. Mr. Harrah's liabilities are given as \$1,010, and his assets \$339.03.

Florida Strawberries and Southern Vegetables for Saturday.

Large Fine Florida Strawberries, 25c pk.

Fresh Havana Pine, 7c each.

Cincinnati Home Grown Spinach, 10c peck.

Cincinnati Home Grown Lettuce, 18c lb.

Home Grown Rhubarb, 7c bunch.

Florida Tomatoes, 15c lb.

Fresh Radishes, 2 bunches for 5c.

New Onions, 2 bunches for 5c.

New Asparagus, 8c bunch.

New Potatoes, 50c peck.

Barnyard Onions, 10c wooden quart.

Also Parsley and Water Cress. White Fruit House.

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Special Embroidery Sale.

We show the largest assortment of embroideries ever shown in the city at 3c, 5c, 6 1/2c, 8c and 10c per yard.

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New styles in tapestry curtains at \$1.75, worth \$2.25.
New styles in tapestry curtains at \$1.95, worth \$2.50.
We are showing many new styles in ingrain carpets at special low prices.

A new line of ladies' black satin skirts at \$1.00—would be cheap at \$1.25.

A new line of ladies' fancy skirts at \$1.25, worth \$1.75. Special bargains in black dress goods this week. New styles in fancy silks for waists.

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15c ladies' fine seamless hose, high spliced heel; a good 20c value.

25c ladies' fine imported hose, hermsdorf dye, double sole, high spliced heel, plain black or white soles—special value.

3c a yard buys fast color turkey red calico, black figures.

3c a yard buys fancy check toweling.

5c per yard buys good quality bleached muslin.

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Hosiery.

Your wants in Hosiery can be better satisfied here, as we at all times carry the most Perfect. Up-to-Date and Complete Stock. The most Critical Buyers can not fail to Find What they Want Here, from the smallest infants' wear to those for adults. Here are a few special numbers for this week:

Ladies' Fast Black Hose, double heel, seamless, regular size quality. 10c a pair.

Ladies' Fast Black Hose, black or white feet, double heel and toes, a splendid number, worth 20c.

12c pair.

Ladies' Fast Black Hose, high spliced heel, double sole, extra fine, full regular made, usual price 25c.

19c pair.

Ladies' Fancy Hose in plaid, stripes, etc., also plain black, (hermsdorf dye) would be good value at 35c.

25c pair.

Ladies' Fancy Hose, in the latest Tartan fronts, of checks and stripes in fine cotton or linen thread, also black, 50c and 75c pair.

Misses' Fine Black Hose, black or white feet, fine ribbed, silk lisle finish, 3 thread, a splendid quality, for . . . 25c pair.

Boys' Hose, extra heavy ribbed, full length and regular made, at . . . 15c pair.

Boys' Famous Ironclad Hose, very heavy and well made, at . . . 25c pair.

A full line of the Famous Wayne Knit Hosiery, in Black and Tan, at 25c and 35c pair.

Corsets.

A perfect fitting Corset is a very essential thing in Ladies' wear. Our Corset Department contains all the well known and standard makes, and many a lady has been made comfortable and shapely by Buying her Corsets at The People's Store. We make a specialty also of extra large sizes. Here are some of the well known brands we keep:

Ladies' Corsets: the Operetta, P. & M. Mirlon, with spring hip, in black, white or drab; the New Saturn, in pink or blue, all perfect fiters and good wearing, at 50c.

A splendid Corset, high form, gloves fitting, steel and whalebone ribs; a regular \$1.00 brand, at 75c.

The Kable, W. C. C. R. and G. Armorside, Dr. Warner's, etc., in black, white and drab; French Corset, with short hip, and other well known brands are to be found here.

Ladies' Corset Waists and Ladies' Cycle Corset Waists at \$1.00 each.

Misses' Corsets and Corset Waists in drab or white, at 50c and 75c each.

CURTAINS AND DRAPERIES.

The housekeeper will find many new and desirable things in this department. House cleaning is near at hand, and you will surely need something in the way of new draperies to live up the rooms. No better place in the city to supply your needs than here. Newest effects at Lowest prices.

New Curtain Swisses at 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c and 20c yard.

New Embroidered Muslins at 12 1/2c, 15c, 17c, 20c and 25c yard.

New Fish Nets at 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c and 20c yard.

New Silkones at 10c yd.

New Tulleones and Brussels Nets at 20c, 35c, 39c, 45c, 50c a yard and up.

New Plain and Figured Denims at 15c and 19c yd.

New Madras at 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c yard.

New Lace Curtains from 69c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 a pair and up.

New Tulle and Brussels Net Curtains, from \$3.90, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50 a pair and up.

New Tapestry Curtains at \$1.90, \$2.48, \$2.90, \$3.48, \$4.50 and \$5.00 pair.

New Rope Portiers at \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.50 and \$3.75 pair.

New China Silk Draperies, figured and plain, at 50c yard.

A large line of New Curtain Poles and fixtures at all prices.

Door Mats from 35c up to \$1.00 each.

Rug and Upholstery Fringe, 10c yard.

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